PROCLAMATION DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY

1. Pursuant to the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Newton pursuant to Article II Section 34-32 of the City of Newton Code of Ordinances, I have determined that a State of Emergency as defined in the Newton Multi-Hazard Plan and Code of Ordinances exists because of: multiple flash flooding events throughout Newton resulting in citizens being displaced from their homes and multiple swift water rescue events.

2. I, therefore, declare the existence of a State of Emergency within the City of Newton. The emergency area covered by this declaration shall be the entire area of The City of Newton.

3. **Execution of Emergency Plan**. I hereby order all City law enforcement officers, employees and all other emergency personnel subject to my control to cooperate in the enforcement and implementation of the City of Newton Multi-Hazard Plan.

4. This proclamation shall become effective immediately.

Proclaimed this the 27 day of July 2013, at 12:45 (p.m.).

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Mayor, City of Newton